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1. Between 10 and 18 November 1953, the barracks installation at the Quedlinburg airfield was occupied by about 1,200 troops, including about 900 troops wearing black-bordered red epaulets and the others red-bordered black epaulets, mostly with artillery insignia.

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2. on 16 November, about 150 to 200 troops from the Harzjugendheim went to the railroad station for entraining. On 18 November, the installation was occupied by an estimated 60 troops.

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1. Comment. The information confirms the 597th Mtz Rifle Regt of the 207th Mtz Rifle Div in the barracks installation at the airfield until 18 November 1953.

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2. Comment. A major detail of the 138th Gds Sig Regt (US) of the Third Gds Mecz Army is carried in the Harzjugendheim. The troops who left there on 16 November may have been discharges.

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